Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department

Officer Involved Shooting

Report Date:	Bureau/Station/Facility:	Admin. Invest.?	Hit?
09/09/11	Compton Station	☐	☒

Incident Information

URN: 011-13346-2830-055	Date: 09/09/11	Time: 2119
City or Station: Compton Station	Nature of Incident:	
Location: [redacted] Cypress Street		

Location Type (*circle one or more*): Backyard, Beach, Business, Freeway, Industrial, Park, Parking Lot, Residence, Rural, School, **Street** (circled)
Other: ____________

Lighting (*circle only one*): **Darkness** (circled), Daylight, **Other** (circled), **Street Lights** (circled)

Weather (*circle only one*): **Clear** (circled), Cloudy, Fog, Rain

Distance: 15-20 feet

Incident Type (*circle one or more*): Accidental, **Armed Person** (circled), **Fleeing Suspect** (circled), **Foot Pursuit** (circled), Gun Take Away, Moving Vehicle, Sniper/Ambush, Startle, Struggle Involved, Traffic Stop, Unarmed Person, Unintentional, Vehicle Pursuit, Warrant Service, Warning Shot
Other: ____________

Initiated by (*circle only one*): Arrest Warrant, Call, **Observation** (circled), One Person Unit, Other, Search Warrant, Two Person Unit

Prior Activity (*circle only one*): Detective, Inmate Transport, Other, **Routine Patrol** (circled)

Total # of Shots Fired by Deputy	Total # of Shots Fired by Suspect	Aero Unit?	Canine Unit?
7	None	☐	☐

Employee Witnesses

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.	ShiftTime (*circle only one*)	ShiftType (*circle only one*)
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
				EM PM Day	Regular Overtime Off Duty
				EM PM Day	Regular Overtime Off Duty

Non-Employee Witnesses

Last Name		First Name		M.I.
[redacted]		[redacted]		[redacted]
Street Address	**City**	**Zip Code**	**Work Ph**	**Home Ph**
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Last Name		**First Name**		**M.I.**
[redacted]		[redacted]		[redacted]
Street Address	**City**	**Zip Code**	**Work Ph**	**Home Ph**
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Last Name		**First Name**		**M.I.**
Street Address	**City**	**Zip Code**	**Work Ph**	**Home Ph**

Supervisors

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I	(*circle one or more*)
[redacted]	Jones	Robert	L	**On Duty** (circled), Present during shooting, Witness to shooting, Involved in shooting
[redacted]	King	Matthew	E	**On Duty** (circled), Present during shooting, Witness to shooting, Involved in shooting

Watch Sergeant

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.
[redacted]	Johnson	Eric	NMN

Watch Commander

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.
[redacted]	Young	Susan	E

PSTD Use Only

SH # ____________

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Rollout Information

Arrival Date	Arrival Time	Date Submitted	Date of Recommendation
09/09/11	2310		

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I
[redacted]	Bly	David	L
[redacted]	Quichocho	Frank	F
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]

Shooting / Force Information

Method

(AW) Arwen
(BC) Baton:(Control)
(BI) Baton:(Impact)
(BF) Bodily Fluids
(CN) Canine
(CR) Carotid Restraint
(CH) Choke Hold
(CT) Control Holds:(Control Techniques)
(TT) Control Holds:(Team Takedown)
(TD) Control Holds:(Takedown)
(CE) Chemical
(OC) Chemical Agents (OC Spray)
(TG) Chemical Agents (Tear Gas)
(EX) Explosives
(FH) Firearm (Handgun)
(FR) Firearm (Rifle)
(FS) Firearm (Shotgun)
(FO) Firearm (Other)
(FB) Flashbang
(FL) Flashlight
(OE) Other Weapon: Edged
(OV) Other Weapon: Vehicle
(OB) Other Weapon: Blunt Object
(OO) Other Weapon: Other
(PK) Personal Weapon: Feet/Leg: (Kick)
(PS) Personal Weapon: Feet/Leg: (Sweep)
(PH) Personal Weapon (Hand/Arm)
(PP) Personal Weapon (Push)
(PO) Personal Weapon (Other)
(RS) Resistance
(CN) Restraint Device (Capture Net)
(RH) Restraint Device (Handcuffs)
(HB) Restraint Device:Hobble (Legs Only)
(TP) Restraint Device:Hobble (TARP)
(RE) Restraint Device: REACT Belt
(SP) Sap
(SH) Shield
(SG) 37mm Stinger
(SB) Sting Ball
(ST) Stun Bag
(TR) Taser
(UC) Uncooperative

Type of Injury

(AB) Abrasion
(BR) Bruise
(BU) Burn
(CP) Complaint of Pain
(CO) Concussion
(DH) Death
(DI) Dislocation
(DB) Dog Bite
(FR) Fractures
(GS) Gunshot
(HB) Human Bite
(LC) Lacerations
(ND) Nerve Damage
(OD) Organ Damage
(PA) Paralysis
(PW) Puncture Wound
(SD) Soft Tissue Damage
(ST) Sprain/Twists
(UN) Unconscious
(RM) Refused Med Treatment
(NN) NONE

Body Part Injured

(AD) Abdomen
(AK) Ankle
(AR) Arm
(BK) Back
(BT) Buttocks
(CH) Chest
(EL) Elbow
(FA) Face
(FE) Feet
(FI) Fingers
(GE) Genitals
(GR) Groin
(HD) Hand
(HE) Head
(HI) Hip
(IN) Internal
(KN) Knees
(LE) Leg
(NK) Neck
(SH) Shoulder
(WR) Wrist

Brand

(AK) AK-47
(BN) Benelli
(BR) Beretta
(BW) Browning
(CH) Charter Arms
(CO) Colt
(DA) Davis Industries
(GL) Glock
(HA) Harrington & Richardson
(HI) Hi Standard
(HK) H & K
(IT) Ithica
(IV) Iver Johnson
(JE) Jennings
(LO) Lorcin
(LU) Luger
(MA) Marlin
(MO) Mossberg
(NC) NCI aka SKS
(NA) North American
(NO) Norinco
(RA) Raven
(RM) Remington
(RG) RG
(RI) RGI
(RO) Rossi
(SW) Smith & Wesson
(SR) Sturm Ruger
(ST) Sterling
(TA) Taurus
(WE) Weatherby
(WN) Winchester
(US) US Government
(YY) Handmade (Inmate)
(XX) Homemade (Non-Inmate)
(ZZ) Other Brand

Caliber

(9) 9 mm
(10) 10 mm
(12) 12 guage
(20) 20 guage
(21) .22-250
(22) .22 caliber
(23) .223 caliber
(24) .243 caliber
(25) .25 caliber
(30) .308 caliber
(35) .357 caliber
(36) 30-60 caliber
(38) .38 caliber
(40) .40 caliber
(41) .410 guage
(44) .44 caliber
(45) .45 caliber
(50) 50 mm
(SL) Slug
(WW) Other caliber

FORCE APPLIED (one code per block)

Used By (E# or S#)	Used Against (E# or S#)	Method (Code)	Brand (Code)	Caliber (Code)	Authorized Weapon? (Y/N)	Authorized Ammunition? (Y/N)	Type of Injury (Code)	Body Part (Code)
S-1	E-1	UC					NN	
E-1	S-1	FH	BR	9	Y	Y	GS	AR

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Involved Employee Information

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Involved Employee

E 1

Employee # [redacted]	Last Name: Juarez	First Name: Jaime	M.I.: NMN
Sex: M Race: H	Rank: Deputy Sheriff	Unit Assignment: Compton Station	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): 287E
ShiftTime (*circle only one*): EM (PM) Day — PM circled	ShiftType (*circle only one*): (Regular) Overtime Off Duty — Regular circled	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
Hospital Admission? ☐	Hospital Name:	Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case # — Interviewed? ☐
Hrs of sleep prior to shooting: 7	Duty Time (hrs): [redacted]	Clothing (*circle only one*): Plain Clothes no Vest, Raid Jacket w/ Vest, Plain Clothes w/ Vest, Uniform no Vest, Raid Jacket no Vest, (Uniform w/ Vest) — Uniform w/ Vest circled	Other Factors:
Age: [redacted]	Height: 507	Weight: 150	
Range Qualification Date: [redacted]	PPC Qualification Date:	Laser Training Date:	
Certified with Weapon Used? [redacted]	Patrol Certification? [redacted]	Certification Unit: [redacted]	Prior Shootings? ☒ — Number of Prior Shootings: 2 — Directed Force: [redacted]
Weapons Fired Brand: Beretta	Caliber: 9mm	# Shots: 7	Weapons Fired Brand: — Caliber: — # Shots:
Field Training Officer Emp # [redacted]	Last Name [redacted]	First Name [redacted]	M.I. [redacted]
Field Training Officer Emp # [redacted]	Last Name [redacted]	First Name [redacted]	M.I. [redacted]

E __

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.
Sex: Race:	Rank	Unit Assignment:	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.):
ShiftTime (*circle only one*): EM PM Day	ShiftType (*circle only one*): Regular Overtime Off Duty	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
Hospital Admission? ☐	Hospital Name:	Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case # — Interviewed? ☐
Hrs of sleep prior to shooting:	Duty Time (hrs):	Clothing (*circle only one*): Plain Clothes no Vest, Raid Jacket w/ Vest, Plain Clothes w/ Vest, Uniform no Vest, Raid Jacket no Vest, Uniform w/ Vest	Other Factors:
Age:	Height:	Weight:	
Range Qualification Date:	PPC Qualification Date:	Laser Training Date:	
Certified with Weapon Used? ☐	Patrol Certification? ☐	Certification Unit:	Prior Shootings? ☐ — Number of Prior Shootings: — Directed Force: ☐
Weapons Fired Brand:	Caliber	# Shots	Weapons Fired Brand: — Caliber — # Shots
Field Training Officer Emp #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.
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Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.
Sex: Race:	Rank	Unit Assignment:	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.):
ShiftTime (*circle only one*): EM PM Day	ShiftType (*circle only one*): Regular Overtime Off Duty	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
Hospital Admission? ☐	Hospital Name:	Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case # — Interviewed? ☐
Hrs of sleep prior to shooting:	Duty Time (hrs):	Clothing (*circle only one*): Plain Clothes no Vest, Raid Jacket w/ Vest, Plain Clothes w/ Vest, Uniform no Vest, Raid Jacket no Vest, Uniform w/ Vest	Other Factors:
Age:	Height:	Weight:	
Range Qualification Date:	PPC Qualification Date:	Laser Training Date:	
Certified with Weapon Used? ☐	Patrol Certification? ☐	Certification Unit:	Prior Shootings? ☐ — Number of Prior Shootings: — Directed Force: ☐
Weapons Fired Brand:	Caliber	# Shots	Weapons Fired Brand: — Caliber — # Shots
Field Training Officer Emp #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.
Field Training Officer Emp #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.

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Suspect Information

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Suspect Information

S 1

Last Name: Jones	First Name: Brian	M.I.: D
AKA Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.:

Sex: M Race: B	Street Address: Homeless	City:	State & Zip Code:
Work Phone: [redacted]	Home Phone: [redacted]	Social Security #: [redacted]	Driver's License #: [redacted]
Age: 22 D.O.B. 02/08/89	Height: 510 Weight: 170	FBI #: [redacted]	CII #: [redacted]
Booking #: 2872050	Primary Charge: 417(c) PC	Secondary Charge: 69 PC	
Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case #:	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
Armed? ☐	Apprehended? ☒	Mental Illness? ☐	Criminal History? [redacted]
Vehicle Make: Chevrolet	Model: Monte Carlo 2D	Year: 2002	

S___

Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.:
AKA Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.:

Sex: Race:	Street Address:	City:	State & Zip Code:
Work Phone:	Home Phone:	Social Security #:	Driver's License #:
Age: D.O.B.	Height: Weight:	FBI #:	CII #:
Booking #:	Primary Charge:	Secondary Charge:	
Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case #:	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
Armed? ☐	Apprehended? ☐	Mental Illness? ☐	Criminal History? ☐
Vehicle Make:	Model:	Year:	

S___

Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.:
AKA Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.:

Sex: Race:	Street Address:	City:	State & Zip Code:
Work Phone:	Home Phone:	Social Security #:	Driver's License #:
Age: D.O.B.	Height: Weight:	FBI #:	CII #:
Booking #:	Primary Charge:	Secondary Charge:	
Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case #:	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
Armed? ☐	Apprehended? ☐	Mental Illness? ☐	Criminal History? ☐
Vehicle Make:	Model:	Year:	

S___

Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.:
AKA Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.:

Sex: Race:	Street Address:	City:	State & Zip Code:
Work Phone:	Home Phone:	Social Security #:	Driver's License #:
Age: D.O.B.	Height: Weight:	FBI #:	CII #:
Booking #:	Primary Charge:	Secondary Charge:	
Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case #:	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
Armed? ☐	Apprehended? ☐	Mental Illness? ☐	Criminal History? ☐
Vehicle Make:	Model:	Year:	

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INVESTIGATIVE SUMMARY
DEPUTY INVOLVED HIT-SHOOTING
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Sergeants David Bly and Frank Quichocho of Internal Affairs Bureau responded with Lieutenant [redacted] to the corner of Aprilia Avenue and Cypress Street in the city of Compton to investigate a deputy-involved, hit shooting. Investigators learned the following:

Compton Station Deputies, Jaime Juarez, #[redacted], and his partner, [redacted], #[redacted], were traveling east on Alondra Boulevard in their marked patrol car when they saw the suspect's vehicle burning its tires out from southbound Central Avenue to westbound Alondra Boulevard at a high rate of speed.

Deputies made a U-turn and attempted to catch up to the suspect. When the deputies stopped at Aprilia Avenue, they saw that the suspect's vehicle had collided into a block wall located near the southwest corner of Aprilia Avenue and Cypress Street. As the deputies pulled in behind the suspect's vehicle, they saw him crawling out of the passenger's side window holding a black handgun in his right hand. Deputies began giving the suspect commands to stop. The suspect did not comply and ran north on Aprilia Avenue.

Deputies chased the suspect north on Aprilia Avenue and then east on Cypress Street. As the deputies chased after the suspect, they saw him reaching for his waistband area. The suspect then suddenly slowed down and turned towards Deputy Juarez. Believing the suspect had armed himself, and fearing for his and his partner's safety, Deputy Juarez fired several rounds at the suspect. The suspect continued to run east on Cypress Street when he suddenly slowed down and turned towards Deputy Juarez a second time. Still believing the suspect had armed himself, Deputy Juarez fired several more rounds at the suspect.

The deputies gave the suspect additional commands to stop, however, he continued running east on Cypress Street. The suspect then stopped between two parked cars once he reached the north sidewalk. The suspect continued reaching near his waistband area, then again turned towards Deputy Juarez. Believing the suspect was still armed, and fearing for his safety, Deputy Juarez fired several more rounds at the suspect. The suspect fell to the ground and was taken into custody without further incident.

The suspect sustained a single gunshot wound to the right forearm. He was transported to Harbor/UCLA Medical Center where he was treated for his injuries and cleared for booking.

No suspect handgun was recovered.

IAB Note: The summary of this incident is based on physical evidence collected at the scene by Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department Crime Lab personnel, Homicide investigator's observations, as well as information obtained from the original crime report and supplemental reports along with interviews of the involved employees and witnesses. (*Refer to Exhibits A through F)*

IAB Note: IAB Lieutenant [redacted] checked to see that the Watch Commander, Lieutenant Susan Young, took reasonable steps to ensure that the involved and witness personnel did not discuss the incident among themselves or with uninvolved persons prior to being interviewed by the assigned investigators. In addition, IAB Lieutenant [redacted] checked to see if the Watch Commander attempted to have involved and witness personnel gather in the company of a supervisor until they have provided a statement to the assigned investigators, in which they had.

INVOLVED PERSONNEL

JUAREZ, Jaime, Deputy Sheriff, #[redacted]
Field Operations Region II
Compton Station

Work History

Date of Employment	06/22/05
Date Assigned to Patrol	[redacted]
Date Completed Patrol Training	
Prior Founded Force Incidents	08/10/06 as related to SH2163795, under IV2176952, founded regarding 3-01/030.10 MMP, Obedience to Laws, Regulations and Orders as it pertains to 3-01/025.40 MMP, Assault by Moving Vehicles-Firearms Policy, written reprimand.

SUSPECT

JONES, Dwayne Brian, MB/22, DOB: 02/08/89

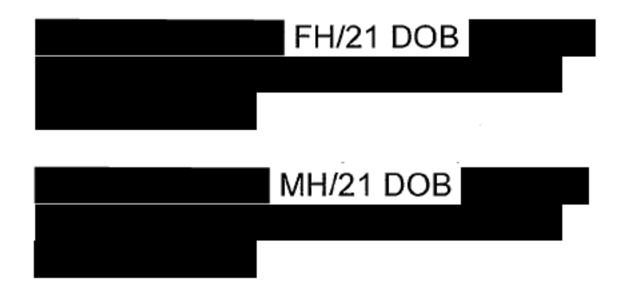
A check of the suspect's criminal history [redacted]

IAB Note: See to Exhibit "A", pages 96-110, for further information.

SWORN WITNESSES

[redacted], Deputy Sheriff, #[redacted]
Field Operations Region II
Compton Station

CIVILIAN WITNESSES



[redacted] FH/21 DOB [redacted]

[redacted] MH/21 DOB [redacted]

IAB Note: See Exhibit "A" pages 25 and 26 for additional witnesses who stated they did not see or hear anything and they heard gun shots only and/or heard orders such as "get down."

SUSPECT INJURIES

Subject Jones was transported to Harbor/UCLA Medical Center where Doctor Christine Yoon treated him for a gunshot wound to his right forearm.

IAB Note: See Exhibit "A", page 30 and pages 32-33, for further information.

DEPUTY INJURIES

No injuries.

PHYSICAL EVIDENCE

IAB Note: See Exhibit "A", pages 70-75, for a list of evidence collected at the scene and CSI diagrams. Also, see page 77 for a report noting Deputy Juarez' handgun was determined to be functional.

INVESTIGATORS OBSERVATIONS

IAB investigators respond to the scene and observed where the suspect collided his vehicle into a block wall, the route of the foot pursuit, and where the shooting took place.

IAB Note: See Exhibit "B" for a CSI diagram and pictures of the scene, also a CD containing all of crime scene photographs.

IAB Note: The distance of the foot pursuit was approximately 345 feet as measured from the where the suspect crashed his vehicle to where he was taken into custody. The measurement is approximate and was measured using a tool on "Google Maps" and a review of CSI diagrams (Exhibit "A" page 75).

A review of Dispatch-9 radio recordings revealed the following summary of radio traffic. All times are approximate.

Dispatch-9:

2119 hours: Unit [redacted], Deputy [redacted], advised 10-33, 998, at Cypress and Aprilia regarding a 417 suspect, units responding. Approximately 35 seconds later, Deputy [redacted] requested Fire at Corlett and Cypress, detaining one suspect and all deputies accounted for. Deputy [redacted] requested additional units code-3.

2120 hours: Air unit advised they were over head and directed units in for a crime scene containment. Aero requested units to respond to Corlett and Cypress regarding civilians gathering at the corner.

L-tac:

2120 hours: No radio traffic regarding the shooting. Century units were requested to respond to the scene for a crime scene containment.

IAB Note: See Exhibit "C" for a CD containing the radio traffic.

FORCE USED BY DEPUTY PERSONNEL

Deputy Juarez: Shot 7 rounds from his department issued 9MM Beretta.

FORCE USED BY THE SUSPECT

Armed suspect, uncooperative, resisting/fleeing suspect.

PROPERTY DAMAGE

A "no parking" sign pole hit and knocked down by the suspect's vehicle as he turned north on Aprilia Avenue from Alondra Boulevard and very minor damage to a block wall where the suspect's vehicle came to rest. Front end damage to the suspect's vehicle.

IAB Note: See Exhibit "A" pages 34-44 for a Compton Station Traffic Collision Report, also see Exhibit "B" pages 16 and 17 for photographs of the damage.

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATOR/CHARGES FILED

Investigator: Homicide Detectives Ken Clark and John Fredendall.

Court: Compton Court Department M-60

Charges: 148(a) P.C. and 14601.5(a) C.V.C.

Court Date: On September 13, 2011 Suspect Jones pleaded to one count of 148(a) P.C. and received 5 days jail and 36 months probation. Additionally, as a result of this incident, Suspect Jones was found in violation of his D.U.I. probation and received 90 days jail.

LIGHTING AND WEATHER CONDITIONS

The incident occurred during night time hours with five overhead street lamps that generally illuminated the areas of where the Suspect collided his vehicle, the beginning of and some portions of the foot pursuit route, and where the incident ended. The street lamps are located on Aprilia Avenue and Cypress Street. **See Exhibit "B" for a CSI diagram.**

INVOLVED EMPLOYEE STATEMENT

JUAREZ, Jaime, Deputy Sheriff, #[redacted]

Deputy Juarez was interviewed by Homicide Investigators Ken Clark and John Fredendall on September 10, 2011, at approximately 0057 hours. The interview took place at Compton Station and was recorded for review. Deputy Juarez was also interviewed by IAB Sergeants David Bly and Frank Quichocho on February 28, 2012, at approximately 1009 hours. That interview took place at IAB and was recorded for review. The following is a summary of both interviews:

Deputy Juarez said he and his partner, Deputy [redacted], were on patrol traveling eastbound on Alondra Boulevard when they saw a silver vehicle making a westbound turn onto Alondra Boulevard from Central Avenue. Deputy [redacted] was the driver and Deputy Juarez was the bookman. He said he and Deputy [redacted] had been partners for approximately three years and have had conversations concerning officer safety, tactical situations, and what each other would doing during those situations.

Deputy Juarez said he saw and heard the suspect's vehicle tires skidding and smoking as the suspect made the westbound turn. Instead of completing the turn into the number two lane, the suspect drove into the number one lane. He said the suspect then suddenly changed lanes into the number two lane and almost collided into a vehicle in that lane.

Deputy Juarez said they made a U-turn at Central Avenue and attempted to catch up to the suspect. He said they did not activate their red lights and siren or request back-up because they were trying to locate and catch up to the suspect. They lost sight of the suspect and were not sure if the suspect continued traveling westbound or turned north on Aprilia Avenue.

Deputy Juarez said they slowed and stopped at Aprilia Avenue and looked north for the suspect. Their vehicle was facing westbound on Alondra Boulevard in the "T" intersection when Deputy Juarez said he saw the suspect had crashed into the westside sidewalk area approximately 75 feet north of their position. Deputy Juarez said his (Juarez') window was down when he saw the suspect had crashed.

Deputy Juarez said, "And we see the smoke and we see a male black crawling out of the open window, passenger window, with what appeared to me was a black handgun in his right hand." He said they were still on Alondra Boulevard when he saw the suspect with a handgun climbing out of his vehicle. Deputy [redacted] turned north and started driving toward the suspect's vehicle, during this time Deputy Juarez said he heard Deputy [redacted] yell out "gun."

Deputy Juarez said the suspect was climbing out of the passenger window face down with his stomach on the bottom of the window frame. He said he did not remember if there were working street lamps on in the area, but did say it was not fully dark yet. As

they drove toward the suspect, he could clearly see the suspect was holding a black object in his right hand that he believed was a handgun. Deputy Juarez said their vehicle head lights were on but they did not activate the overhead lights. He said he did not have his spotlight on and did not know if Deputy [redacted] had his spotlight on or not. Deputy Juarez said this was the last time he clearly saw the suspect holding a gun.

IAB Note: See Exhibit "B" for photograph #4 depicting the patrol car, the suspect's car, and the eastbound intersection of Aprilia Avenue and Cypress Street (note the street lamp at the corner).

Deputy Juarez said, at this point, he did not request back-up. He said, "No, I kept my eyes on him. I didn't wanna look down and find my radio and lose sight of him."

Deputy Juarez said he saw the suspect running in a northeast direction as they stopped their vehicle behind the suspect's vehicle. He said he did not see how the suspect landed on the ground from climbing out of the car and only that he remembered seeing the suspect running away.

Deputy Juarez said he exited the patrol car and drew his duty weapon, which is outfitted with a tactical flashlight. The suspect was 20-30 feet away from him still holding the gun and running toward Cypress Street. Deputy Juarez said, during this time, he did not request back-up because he was focused on the suspect. Deputy [redacted] was to the left and behind of Deputy Juarez and Deputy Juarez said he saw him out of the corner of his eye.

Deputy Juarez said he did not give the suspect any orders at this time and he does not recall if Deputy [redacted] was ordering the suspect to do anything or not.

Deputy Juarez said he ran up to the suspect's vehicle and visually cleared the interior of the car for additional suspects. While Deputy Juarez cleared the suspect's vehicle, he said he briefly lost sight of the suspect and, additionally, that was the last time he saw Deputy [redacted] until the suspect was taken into custody. However, Deputy Juarez said, "I knew he was back there. We've been in multiple foot pursuits and I know he's gonna be right behind me."

Deputy Juarez did not stop and search the suspect's vehicle, but slowed and looked inside using his tactical gun light to clear it. Deputy Juarez then looked northeast to locate the suspect but did not see him. He said he ran northeast toward Cypress street to locate the suspect.

Deputy Juarez said, "The direction he traveled, I knew he was gonna run eastbound on Cypress, because he cut in a northeast direction, so that's why I ran towards that direction. And then when I got to Cypress, I saw him in the middle of the street."

IAB Note: See Exhibit "B" for photograph #6 depicting a view of eastbound Cypress Street from Aprilia Avenue.

Deputy Juarez said he did not broadcast he was in foot pursuit, but remembered hearing radio traffic when he started running toward Cypress Street. Deputy Juarez did not actually hear what the radio traffic was and thought it could have been Deputy [redacted] advising they were in foot pursuit. He said he knew Deputy [redacted] would transmit the pursuit because he and Deputy [redacted] have had previous discussions that "the lead guy won't put anything out because he's concentrating on the suspect, and the guy in the back will put it out."

IAB Note: See Exhibit "C" for a CD containing the radio traffic in this incident. At 2119 hours Deputy [redacted], advised 10-33, 998, at Cypress and Aprilia regarding a 417 suspect, units responding. Approximately 35 seconds later, Deputy [redacted] requested Fire at Corlett and Cypress, detaining one suspect and all deputies accounted for.

Deputy Juarez said when he reached the corner at Cypress Street the suspect was approximately 20-25 feet east of him in the middle of Cypress Street. He said, "I saw him running. His back was towards me. And I saw him messing around with his waistband area. Both of his hands were in his waistband area." He said he ordered the suspect to stop running.

Deputy Juarez continued to run after the suspect and described what he saw the suspect doing. He said, "I saw he was moving his hands, arms, but not like you said, freely. It was like he was either holding onto something."

Deputy Juarez said the suspect continued running eastbound toward the north side of Cypress Street and he continued to order him to stop. The suspect still had his hands at his waistband when Deputy Juarez saw his left shoulder turning left and back toward him. Deputy Juarez said, "That's when I believed that he was already armed, and fearing for my life, I fired one or two shots, I don't recall how many."

IAB Note: See Exhibit "B" for photograph #6 depicting a view of eastbound Cypress Street from Aprilia Avenue. The first shots took place in the street in the general area just east of the car parked on the north side of the street.

Deputy Juarez said the suspect never completed his turn and never completely faced him. He said the suspect continued to run eastbound on Cypress Street and the suspect again started to turn his upper body toward him. He said, "He continued eastbound on Cypress, and again, he still has his hands in the same, the same manner that he had earlier, reaching in his waistband. So I continually give him orders to stop running, and again he turns to the, or begins to turn to his left, and that's when I shot another one or two shots."

IAB Note: See Exhibit "B" for photograph #9 depicting a view of eastbound Cypress Street. The second round of shots took place in the street in the general area just in front of the first car parked on the north side of the street.

Deputy Juarez said the suspect was approximately 20-25 feet in front of him during the first two shooting occurrences and he picked up his sights using his tactical flashlight and aimed at the suspect's "center mass." He said he recognized his back drop of several parked cars on the street during the first shots and he did not recall his back drop during the second shots fired.

During the first two shooting occurrences Deputy Juarez said he knew he had parked cars to the north and south he could have used for cover and concealment, but he did not utilize them. He said he felt safe and remained generally in the middle of the street as he followed and shot at the suspect. He said, "I had a good eye on him while he was running, so it would have taken him the whole turn around so I could have moved to the side, so I knew I had the vehicles there if I needed them. I thought I was safe because he would have to turn his body entirely around, and that would have gave me time to, you know, get cover behind the vehicle."

The suspect continued to run eastbound while he discarded a sweater in the street. Deputy Juarez said he does not remember if the suspect was wearing the sweater or where it came from, but he saw it on the street as he pursued the suspect.

IAB Note: See Exhibit "B" for photographs #10 and #11 depicting a view of eastbound Cypress Street and the discarded sweater. Additionally, photographs #10, #11, and #12 shows the two parked cars the suspect ran in-between before the third round shots where fired.

Deputy Juarez said the suspect ran northbound in-between two parked cars on the north side of the street while he (Juarez) advanced to a position in front of the first parked car for cover and concealment. Deputy Juarez lost sight of the suspect as he ran in-between the cars, but picked him up again as the suspect came up onto the sidewalk-grass area. Deputy Juarez moved up to the sidewalk and the suspect was approximately15 feet in front of him.

Deputy Juarez said, "So he continued northbound, I continue northbound, and I lose him between the two cars, and then when he comes out onto the sidewalk, he again turns toward my direction, and fearing that he had already armed himself, I shoot another one or two rounds from the sidewalk."

Deputy Juarez said he advanced toward the suspect as he order him to raise his hands and to lay on the ground. The suspect complied with his orders and gave up. Within two seconds Deputy [redacted] moved in and handcuffed the suspect. Deputy Juarez conducted a quick pat down search of the suspect for weapons. Deputy Juarez said during the foot pursuit he continued to tell the suspect to stop running.

Deputy Juarez said the suspect never said a word during or after the incident.

Deputy Juarez said during the foot pursuit and the shooting he never saw or heard Deputy [redacted] behind him, but he "knew" he was there. He said, "I knew he was back there. We've been in multiple foot pursuits and I know he's gonna be right behind me."

Deputy Juarez said during the entire incident he never thought to stop pursuing the suspect to set up a containment because he knew he had his partner behind him and he was trying to apprehend the suspect. He said, "The distance wasn't all that great where I think he was gonna get away. And I knew I could catch him, so I didn't wanna let him go and risk him getting away on a containment."

Deputy Juarez said approximately 20-30 seconds had elapsed from the time he exited his patrol car until the suspect was handcuffed.

Deputy Juarez said he told Homicide investigators he had [redacted] with his duty weapon prior to the shooting. However, during his IAB interview he stated he was really [redacted] because he had shot at the mobile range.

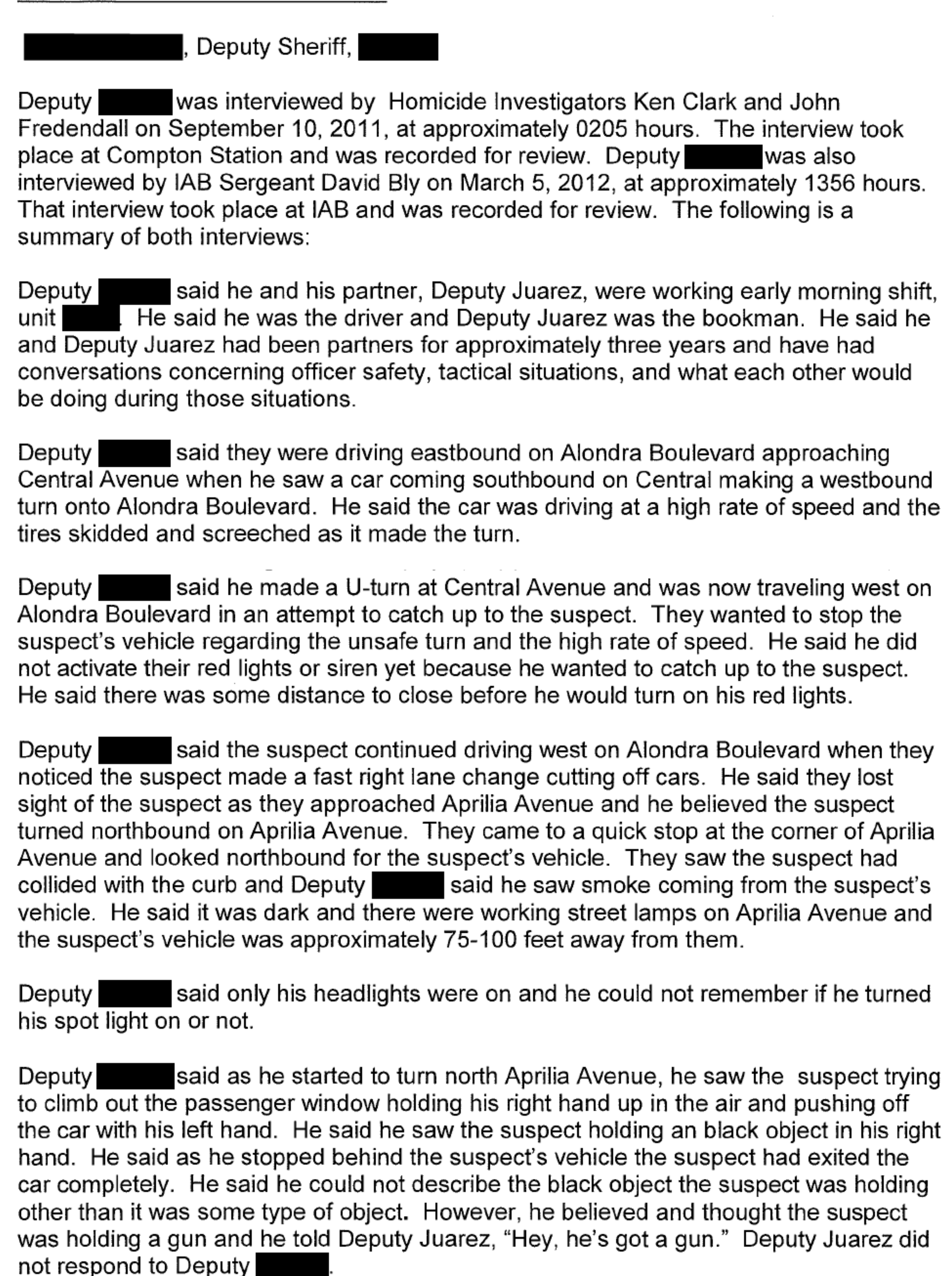
Deputy Juarez said he and Deputy [redacted] shoot at the Compton Station mobile range at least [redacted], but he did not fill out the scantron card [redacted]. He said, "I don't remember the last time I actually filled out a card. So I might have [redacted], but I don't recall, but we go there maybe [redacted], [redacted]. So I'm, I'm not sure if I filled out the card [redacted]."

IAB Note: See Exhibit "D" for a diagram with Deputy Juarez' notations.

IAB Note: See Exhibit "E" for Compton Station's Foot Pursuit Evaluation Form.

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IAB Note: Refer to Deputy Juarez' Homicide and IAB transcribed interviews for further information.



SWORN WITNESS STATEMENTS

[redacted], Deputy Sheriff, [redacted]

Deputy [redacted] was interviewed by Homicide Investigators Ken Clark and John Fredendall on September 10, 2011, at approximately 0205 hours. The interview took place at Compton Station and was recorded for review. Deputy [redacted] was also interviewed by IAB Sergeant David Bly on March 5, 2012, at approximately 1356 hours. That interview took place at IAB and was recorded for review. The following is a summary of both interviews:

Deputy [redacted] said he and his partner, Deputy Juarez, were working early morning shift, unit [redacted]. He said he was the driver and Deputy Juarez was the bookman. He said he and Deputy Juarez had been partners for approximately three years and have had conversations concerning officer safety, tactical situations, and what each other would be doing during those situations.

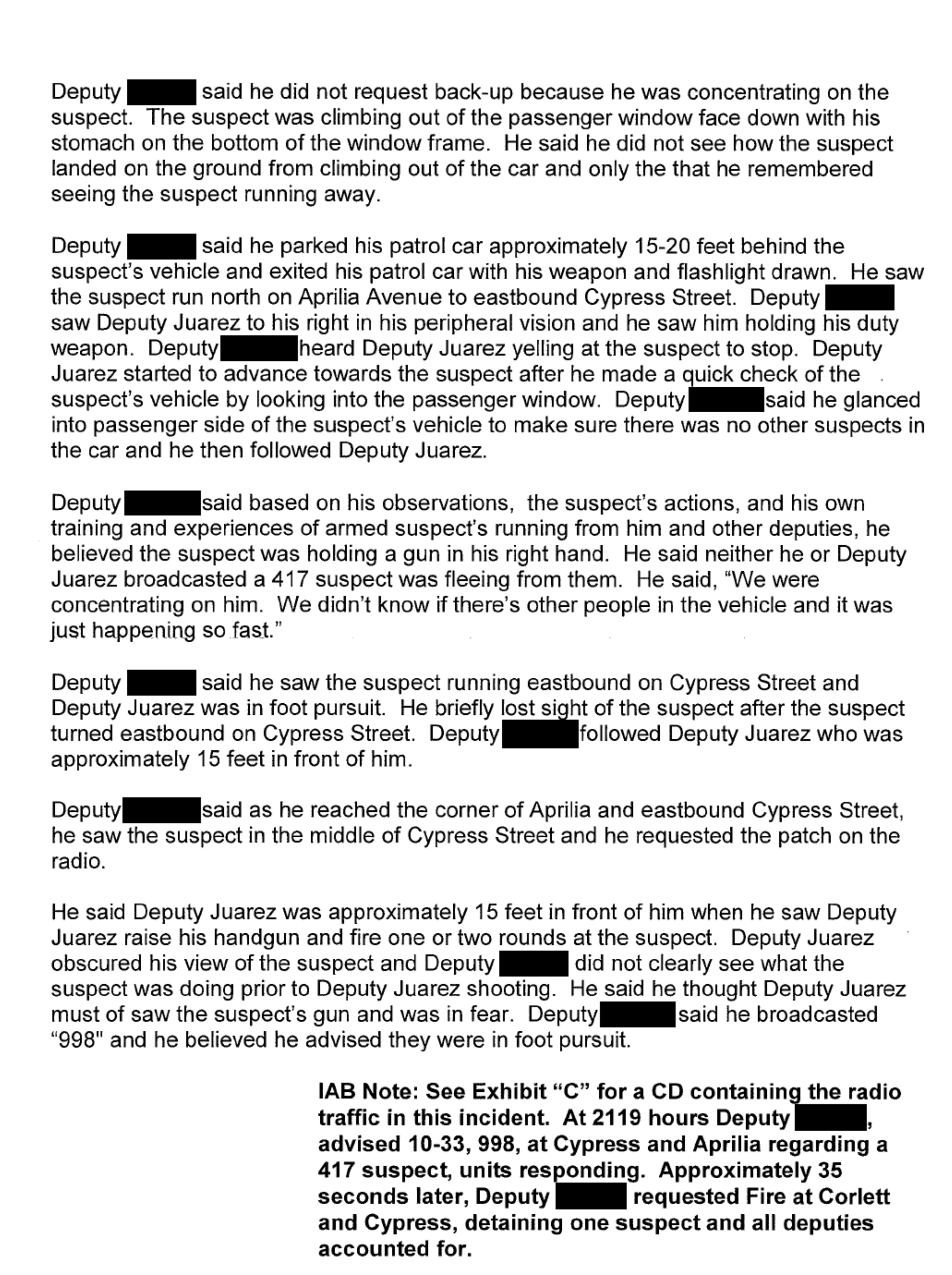
Deputy [redacted] said they were driving eastbound on Alondra Boulevard approaching Central Avenue when he saw a car coming southbound on Central making a westbound turn onto Alondra Boulevard. He said the car was driving at a high rate of speed and the tires skidded and screeched as it made the turn.

Deputy [redacted] said he made a U-turn at Central Avenue and was now traveling west on Alondra Boulevard in an attempt to catch up to the suspect. They wanted to stop the suspect's vehicle regarding the unsafe turn and the high rate of speed. He said he did not activate their red lights or siren yet because he wanted to catch up to the suspect. He said there was some distance to close before he would turn on his red lights.

Deputy [redacted] said the suspect continued driving west on Alondra Boulevard when they noticed the suspect made a fast right lane change cutting off cars. He said they lost sight of the suspect as they approached Aprilia Avenue and he believed the suspect turned northbound on Aprilia Avenue. They came to a quick stop at the corner of Aprilia Avenue and looked northbound for the suspect's vehicle. They saw the suspect had collided with the curb and Deputy [redacted] said he saw smoke coming from the suspect's vehicle. He said it was dark and there were working street lamps on Aprilia Avenue and the suspect's vehicle was approximately 75-100 feet away from them.

Deputy [redacted] said only his headlights were on and he could not remember if he turned his spot light on or not.

Deputy [redacted] said as he started to turn north Aprilia Avenue, he saw the suspect trying to climb out the passenger window holding his right hand up in the air and pushing off the car with his left hand. He said he saw the suspect holding an black object in his right hand. He said as he stopped behind the suspect's vehicle the suspect had exited the car completely. He said he could not describe the black object the suspect was holding other than it was some type of object. However, he believed and thought the suspect was holding a gun and he told Deputy Juarez, "Hey, he's got a gun." Deputy Juarez did not respond to Deputy [redacted].



Deputy [redacted] said he did not request back-up because he was concentrating on the suspect. The suspect was climbing out of the passenger window face down with his stomach on the bottom of the window frame. He said he did not see how the suspect landed on the ground from climbing out of the car and only the that he remembered seeing the suspect running away.

Deputy [redacted] said he parked his patrol car approximately 15-20 feet behind the suspect's vehicle and exited his patrol car with his weapon and flashlight drawn. He saw the suspect run north on Aprilia Avenue to eastbound Cypress Street. Deputy [redacted] saw Deputy Juarez to his right in his peripheral vision and he saw him holding his duty weapon. Deputy [redacted] heard Deputy Juarez yelling at the suspect to stop. Deputy Juarez started to advance towards the suspect after he made a quick check of the suspect's vehicle by looking into the passenger window. Deputy [redacted] said he glanced into passenger side of the suspect's vehicle to make sure there was no other suspects in the car and he then followed Deputy Juarez.

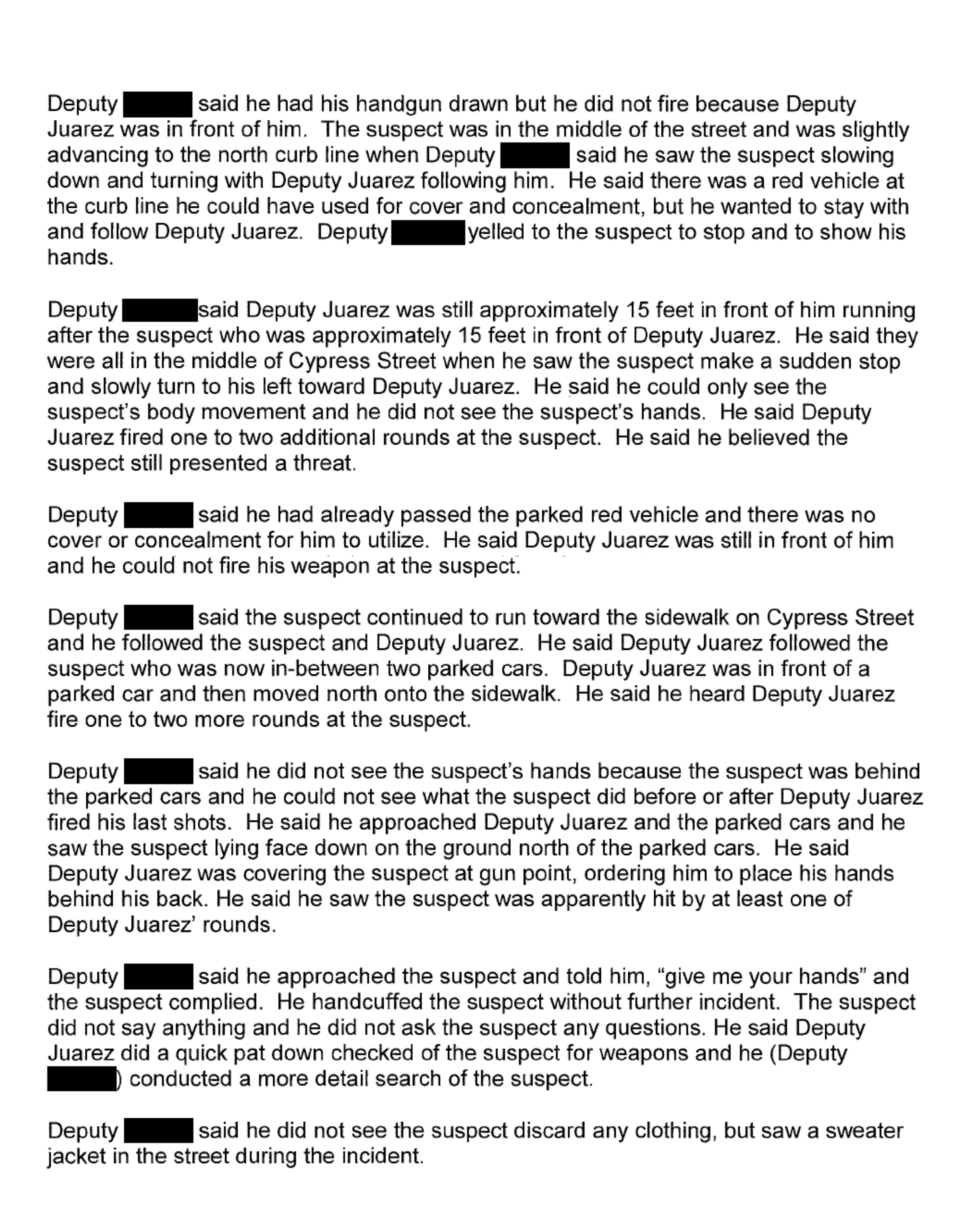
Deputy [redacted] said based on his observations, the suspect's actions, and his own training and experiences of armed suspect's running from him and other deputies, he believed the suspect was holding a gun in his right hand. He said neither he or Deputy Juarez broadcasted a 417 suspect was fleeing from them. He said, "We were concentrating on him. We didn't know if there's other people in the vehicle and it was just happening so fast."

Deputy [redacted] said he saw the suspect running eastbound on Cypress Street and Deputy Juarez was in foot pursuit. He briefly lost sight of the suspect after the suspect turned eastbound on Cypress Street. Deputy [redacted] followed Deputy Juarez who was approximately 15 feet in front of him.

Deputy [redacted] said as he reached the corner of Aprilia and eastbound Cypress Street, he saw the suspect in the middle of Cypress Street and he requested the patch on the radio.

He said Deputy Juarez was approximately 15 feet in front of him when he saw Deputy Juarez raise his handgun and fire one or two rounds at the suspect. Deputy Juarez obscured his view of the suspect and Deputy [redacted] did not clearly see what the suspect was doing prior to Deputy Juarez shooting. He said he thought Deputy Juarez must of saw the suspect's gun and was in fear. Deputy [redacted] said he broadcasted "998" and he believed he advised they were in foot pursuit.

IAB Note: See Exhibit "C" for a CD containing the radio traffic in this incident. At 2119 hours Deputy [redacted], advised 10-33, 998, at Cypress and Aprilia regarding a 417 suspect, units responding. Approximately 35 seconds later, Deputy [redacted] requested Fire at Corlett and Cypress, detaining one suspect and all deputies accounted for.



Deputy [redacted] said he had his handgun drawn but he did not fire because Deputy Juarez was in front of him. The suspect was in the middle of the street and was slightly advancing to the north curb line when Deputy [redacted] said he saw the suspect slowing down and turning with Deputy Juarez following him. He said there was a red vehicle at the curb line he could have used for cover and concealment, but he wanted to stay with and follow Deputy Juarez. Deputy [redacted] yelled to the suspect to stop and to show his hands.

Deputy [redacted] said Deputy Juarez was still approximately 15 feet in front of him running after the suspect who was approximately 15 feet in front of Deputy Juarez. He said they were all in the middle of Cypress Street when he saw the suspect make a sudden stop and slowly turn to his left toward Deputy Juarez. He said he could only see the suspect's body movement and he did not see the suspect's hands. He said Deputy Juarez fired one to two additional rounds at the suspect. He said he believed the suspect still presented a threat.

Deputy [redacted] said he had already passed the parked red vehicle and there was no cover or concealment for him to utilize. He said Deputy Juarez was still in front of him and he could not fire his weapon at the suspect.

Deputy [redacted] said the suspect continued to run toward the sidewalk on Cypress Street and he followed the suspect and Deputy Juarez. He said Deputy Juarez followed the suspect who was now in-between two parked cars. Deputy Juarez was in front of a parked car and then moved north onto the sidewalk. He said he heard Deputy Juarez fire one to two more rounds at the suspect.

Deputy [redacted] said he did not see the suspect's hands because the suspect was behind the parked cars and he could not see what the suspect did before or after Deputy Juarez fired his last shots. He said he approached Deputy Juarez and the parked cars and he saw the suspect lying face down on the ground north of the parked cars. He said Deputy Juarez was covering the suspect at gun point, ordering him to place his hands behind his back. He said he saw the suspect was apparently hit by at least one of Deputy Juarez' rounds.

Deputy [redacted] said he approached the suspect and told him, "give me your hands" and the suspect complied. He handcuffed the suspect without further incident. The suspect did not say anything and he did not ask the suspect any questions. He said Deputy Juarez did a quick pat down checked of the suspect for weapons and he (Deputy [redacted]) conducted a more detail search of the suspect.

Deputy [redacted] said he did not see the suspect discard any clothing, but saw a sweater jacket in the street during the incident.

Deputy [redacted] said he and Deputy Juarez waited with the suspect until responding units arrived at the scene. The first unit arrive approximately 20-30 seconds after he handcuffed the suspect. He said people in the neighborhood started to come out of their homes to see what had happened.

Deputy [redacted] said from the time they first saw the suspect's car on Alondra Boulevard until he handcuffed him was approximately forty seconds to one minute. He said he never lost sight of Deputy Juarez from the time they exited their patrol car and he never saw the suspect make a "tossing motion" during the incident.

Deputy [redacted] said he never thought of stopping or telling Deputy Juarez to stop so they could set up a containment. He said, "Because we, we were so close to him that we can still gain on him and handle (it) ourselves. Instead of stop moving and containment."

Deputy [redacted] was carrying a back-up gun in his left front pant pocket and he never drew that weapon during the incident. Deputy [redacted] said he did not fire his duty weapon during the incident.

IAB Note: Homicide conducted a check and inventory of Deputy [redacted] duty weapon (9MM Beretta, serial number, BER[redacted]) and ammunition. The weapon contained one round chambered, with fifteen rounds in the magazine. Deputy [redacted] carried two addition magazines in his magazine pouch, one magazine contained fifteen rounds and the other magazine contained fourteen rounds.

Deputy [redacted] said prior to the check of his duty weapon and ammunition he was confident each of his three magazines would have fifteen rounds in them. He said he was surprised one of the magazines only contained fourteen rounds and the last time he checked his magazines was when he last shot at the range for qualification. He said he could not remember when he [redacted].

Deputy [redacted] said he and Deputy Juarez would [redacted] at the mobile range at Compton Station. He said, "Well, I don't know dates but we go, like I said, we were asked, our region was asked to go [redacted]. So, I mean, it's, it was free ammo to us. It was, we would go every [redacted] just to keep the memory going." He said he did not fill out a scantron card every time the shot, but only during the months he was [redacted].

IAB Note: See Exhibit "D" for a diagram with Deputy [redacted] notations.

IAB Note: See Exhibit "E" for Compton Station's Foot Pursuit Evaluation Form.

IAB Note: Refer to Deputy [redacted] Homicide and IAB transcribed interviews for further information.

CIVILIAN STATEMENTS

IAB Note: See Exhibit "A" for a CD containing Homicide's recorded interviews of the following two witnesses.

[redacted]

Ms. [redacted] was interviewed by Homicide Investigators Ken Clark and John Fredendall on September 10, 2011, at approximately 0434 hours. The interview took place at [redacted], Compton and was recorded for review. The following is a summary of that interview:

Ms. [redacted] said she was home in the kitchen when she heard the sounds of a car crash which she thought was coming from Alondra Boulevard. She exited her home (facing north) and she looked south toward Alondra Boulevard and saw the suspect's vehicle and the suspect climbing out of the passenger side car window. Deputies were also stopped by the suspect's vehicle.

IAB Note: Ms. [redacted] residence is located on the [redacted]

See Exhibit "B" photographs #6 and #7 depicting Ms. Guzman's residence.

Ms. [redacted] said the deputies had their hands on their holstered guns and she heard deputies telling the suspect to not move or they would shoot. She said deputies told the suspect to get on the ground. However instead, the suspect pretended to get on the ground and then started running toward and onto Cypress Street.

Ms. [redacted] said she did not see the suspect holding any objects in his hands. She saw the suspect run east past the front of her house, but did not see what the suspect was doing with his hands. Ms. [redacted] thought the suspect was not a "regular person" so she entered her house and closed the door. She said she did not look out of any windows, but heard the words "don't run." She said she saw shadows in the front of her house that indicated to her the deputies were following the suspect.

Ms. [redacted] said she heard three sounds that she thought were gun shots, but at the time she heard them, she did not know what the sounds were. She then saw the lights of patrol cars on Cypress Street.

Ms. [redacted] said she did not hear the suspect say anything.

IAB Note: See Exhibit "A" page 25 for a report authored by Deputy T. Woodward #[redacted] documenting Ms. [redacted] and Witness [redacted] statements. Mr. [redacted] said he only heard five gun shots. Also, see page 26 for a report authored by Deputy S. Giles #[redacted] documenting [redacted] and [redacted] statements. Ms. [redacted] said she only heard seven gunshots and someone saying "get down" and Mr. [redacted] said he only heard 2-3 gunshots.

[redacted]

Mr. [redacted] was interviewed by Homicide Investigators Ken Clark and John Fredendall on September 10, 2011, at approximately 0445 hours. The interview took place at [redacted], Compton and was recorded for review. The following is a summary of that interview:

Mr. [redacted] said he was in his home in the bathroom when he heard the sounds of a car crash. He said a few seconds later he heard gunshots. He did not hear anyone talking before or after the gunshots.

SUSPECT STATEMENTS

JONES, Brian

Suspect Jones was interviewed by Homicide Investigators Ken Clark and John Fredendall on September 10, 2011, at approximately 0611 hours. The interview took place at Century Regional Detention Facility and was recorded for review. The following is a summary of that interview:

Suspect Jones would not answer questions regarding him driving the car that collided on Aprilia Avenue. He said he was in the alley at Aprilia Avenue when deputies told him to "come here." He said he ran from the deputies because he always runs from the police. He also said deputies exited their vehicle with their weapons drawn and he ran away because he was scared.

Suspect Jones said he ran to Cypress Street where deputies shot at him from behind, hitting his arm. He said he heard a deputy say "pop him" and he then heard gun shots. He said his arm hurt but he continued to run from the deputies until he gave up at a grassy area at Cypress Street and Corlett Street without further incident.

Suspect Jones denied having a gun and said deputies did not say anything to him during the foot pursuit.

IAB Note: See Exhibit "A" pages 67-69 for a report authored by Sergeant Fredendall documenting Suspect Jones' statement.

IAB Note: See Exhibit "A" for a CD containing Homicide's recorded interview with Suspect Jones.